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Re: U.S. Application No. 09/955,547 GAU 2133

## Attachments:

1. Amendment
2. Fee Transmittal

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Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818)**FEE TRANSMITTAL**  
**For FY 2005**☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 1,450.00

**Complete if Known**

Application Number	09/955,547
Filing Date	September 17, 2001
First Named Inventor	Mark Greenberg
Examiner Name	Phung M. Chung
Art Unit	2133
Attorney Docket No.	04259PO76

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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES****Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Fee (\$)

Small Entity Fee (\$)

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

50

25

Multiple dependent claims

200

100

360

180

**Total Claims****Extra Claims****Fee (\$)****Fee Paid (\$)**

- 20 or HP =

9

x 50

= 450

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

**Indep. Claims****Extra Claims****Fee (\$)****Fee Paid (\$)**

- 3 or HP =

3

x 200

= 600

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

**Mark Greenberg and  
Manish Shah**

Confirmation No. 9819

Application No. 09/955,547

Filed: September 17, 2001

For: **AN APPARATUS AND METHOD  
FOR SATURATING DECODER  
VALUES**

Group Art Unit: 2133

Examiner: Phung M. Chung

Date: April 15, 2005

AMENDMENT

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 15, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

Applicant requests a two-month extension of time to file this response.